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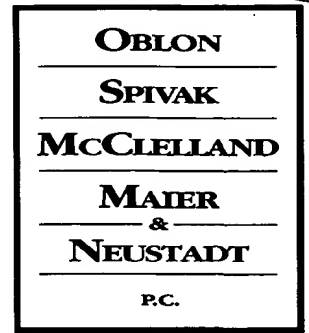
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Docket No.: 217047US0PCT

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RE: Application Serial No.: 09/926,738

Applicants: Giovanni COLOMBO, et al.

Filing Date: December 11, 2001

Allowed Date: January 2, 2004

For: USE OF THIAMPHENICOL AND DERIVATIVES
THEREOF FOR THE PREPARATION OF
PHARMACEUTICAL COMPOSITIONS USEFUL IN
THE TREATMENT OF CHLAMYDIA
PNEUMONIAE INFECTIONS

Group Art Unit: 1614

Examiner: Kevin Weddington

SIR:

Attached hereto for filing are the following papers:


**2nd Petition Under 37 C.F.R. 1.181; Copy of PTO Cover Letter, Petition Under 37 C.F.R. 1.181
and Date-stamped Filing Receipt filed 1-28-04; Copy of Information Disclosure Statement, PTO
Form 1449 and Date-stamped Filing Receipt filed 2-6-02**

Our check in the amount of \$0.00 is attached covering any required fees. In the event any variance exists between the amount enclosed and the Patent Office charges for filing the above-noted documents, including any fees required under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 for any necessary Extension of Time to make the filing of the attached documents timely, please charge or credit the difference to our Deposit Account No. 15-0030. Further, if these papers are not considered timely filed, then a petition is hereby made under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 for the necessary extension of time. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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2ND PETITION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.181

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SIR:

The Applicants hereby petition the Commissioner pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.181 to invoke supervisory authority to:

1. Locate, enter and consider their Petition under 37 C.F.R. §1.181 filed January 28, 2004; and
2. Provide written acknowledgement that the information disclosure statement filed February 6, 2002 has been considered.

The Applicants submitted a Petition under 37 C.F.R. §1.181 on January 28, 2004 to request consideration of the February 6, 2002 information disclosure statement. However, the PAIR system does not indicate that this Petition was entered. A copy of this petition and its date-stamped filing receipt are attached.

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The Applicants respectfully request their previous petition be entered and granted and that the application be directed back to the Examiner for consideration of the information disclosure statement of February 6, 2002.

The Applicants do not believe that any petition fee is due. However, in the event that any variance exists between the required petition fee and this amount, please charge or credit the difference to our Deposit Account No. 15-0030.

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Attached hereto for filing are the following papers:

Petition Under 37 C.F.R. 1.181; Copy of Date-stamped Filing Receipt, Information Disclosure Statement and PTO Form 1449 filed February 6, 2002

Our check in the amount of \$0.00 is attached covering any required fees. In the event any variance exists between the amount enclosed and the Patent Office charges for filing the above-noted documents, including any fees required under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 for any necessary Extension of Time to make the filing of the attached documents timely, please charge or credit the difference to our Deposit Account No. 15-0030. Further, if these papers are not considered timely filed, then a petition is hereby made under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 for the necessary extension of time. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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SIR:

Applicants hereby petition the Commissioner pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.181 to invoke supervisory authority to match the Information Disclosure Statement filed on February 6, 2002 with this allowed application and make this application available to the Examiner for consideration of this Information Disclosure Statement.

The Applicants notified Examiner Weddington on January 22, 2003 that they would file a Petition to direct the application back to him for consideration of the above-mentioned Information Disclosure Statement and return of an initialed and signed copy of Form 1449. Accordingly, the Applicants now petition for the return of written acknowledgment that this information disclosure statement has been considered. For the convenience of the Examiner a copy of the previously-filed Information Disclosure Statement and the date-stamped filing receipt is attached to this petition.

Applicants do not believe that any petition fee is due. However, in the event any variance exists between the required petition fees and this amount, please charge or credit the difference to our Deposit Account No. 15-0030.

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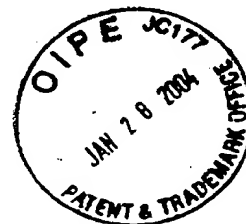
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INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT UNDER 37 CFR 1.97

ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20231

SIR:

Applicant(s) wish to disclose the following information.

REFERENCES

- ☒ The applicant(s) wish to make of record the references listed on the attached form PTO-1449. Copies of the listed references are attached, where required, as are either statements of relevancy or any readily available English translations of pertinent portions of any non-English language references.
- ☐ A check is attached in the amount required under 37 CFR §1.17(p).

RELATED CASES

- ☐ Attached is a list of applicant's pending application(s) or issued patent(s) which may be related to the present application. A copy of the patent(s), together with a copy of the claims and drawings of the pending application(s) is attached along with PTO 1449.
- ☐ A check is attached in the amount required under 37 CFR §1.17(p).

CERTIFICATION

- ☐ Each item of information contained in this information disclosure statement was first cited in any communication from a foreign patent office in a counterpart foreign application not more than three months prior to the filing of this statement.
- ☐ No item of information contained in this information disclosure statement was cited in a communication from a foreign patent office in a counterpart foreign application or, to the knowledge of the undersigned, having made reasonable inquiry, was known to any individual designated in 37 CFR §1.56(c) more than three months prior to the filing of this statement.

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- ☒ Please charge any additional fees for the papers being filed herewith and for which no check is enclosed herewith, or credit any overpayment to deposit account number 15-0030. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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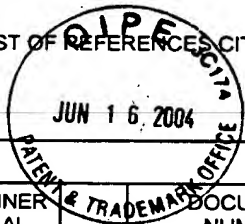
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OTHER REFERENCES (Including Author, Title, Date, Pertinent Pages, etc.)

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☐ Additional References sheet(s) attached

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